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H. Con. Res. 101. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress that our current tax incentives for retirement savings provide important benefits to Americans to help plan for a financially secure retirement; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. RYAN of Ohio (for himself, Mr. KUCINICH, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. LATTI, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. TIBERI, Ms. SUTTON, and Ms. FUDGE):

H. Con. Res. 102. Concurrent resolution commemorating and praising the Honorable John Glenn on the 50th anniversary of his historic orbital space flight; to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

By Mr. LIPINSKI (for himself, Mr. MANZULLO, Ms. SUTTON, Mr. HOLT, Mr. REYES, Ms. BORDALLO, Mr. HINOJOSA, Ms. ZOE LOFGREN of California, Mr. MCNERNEY, Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. TONKO, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Ms. RICHARDSON, Mr. HONDA, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. MCCAUL, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. CARNAHAN, Mr. MILLER of North Carolina, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. MCKINLEY, and Ms. HIRONO):

H. Res. 552. A resolution supporting the goals and ideals of National Engineers Week; to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

By Mr. LARSON of Connecticut:

H. Res. 553. A resolution electing Members to certain standing committees of the House of Representatives; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. PAYNE (for himself, Mr. CONYERS, Ms. JACKSON LEE of Texas, Ms. RICHARDSON, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. MEEKS, Mr. CUMMINGS, Ms. FUDGE, Ms. SEWELL, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. ROTHMAN of New Jersey, Mr. BISHOP of Georgia, Mr. RUSH, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Ms. LEE of California, Ms. WILSON of Florida, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. CLEAVER, and Ms. WATERS):

H. Res. 555. A resolution to commemorate the life and accomplishments of Whitney Elizabeth Houston over the past 48 years;

and expressing the condolences of the House of Representatives to her family upon her death; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

CONSTITUTIONAL AUTHORITY STATEMENT

Pursuant to clause 7 of rule XII of the Rules of the House of Representatives, the following statements are submitted regarding the specific powers granted to Congress in the Constitution to enact the accompanying bill or joint resolution.

By Mr. LUETKEMEYER:

H.R. 2453.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, Clause 5 states: "The Congress shall have Power . . . To coin Money, regulate the Value thereof, and of foreign Coin, and fix the Standard of Weights and Measures."

By Mr. JOHNSON of Ohio:

H.R. 4048.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, section 8 of the Constitution of the United States.

By Mr. NEAL:

H.R. 4049.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to Clause 1 of Section 8 of Article I and the 16th Amendment to the U.S. Constitution.

By Mr. NEAL:

H.R. 4050.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to Clause 1 of Section 8 of Article I and the 16th Amendment to the U.S. Constitution.

By Mr. STUTZMAN:

H.R. 4051.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, section 8 of the Constitution of the United States.

By Mr. STUTZMAN:

H.R. 4052.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, section 8 of the Constitution of the United States.

By Mr. TOWNS:

H.R. 4053.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

This Bill is enacted pursuant to Article I, Section 8, Clause 3 of the United States Constitution, known as the "Commerce Clause." This provision grants Congress the broad power to "regulate Commerce with foreign Nations, and among the several States, and with the Indian Tribes."¹

By Mr. WALZ of Minnesota:

H.R. 4054.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

This bill is enacted pursuant to the power granted to Congress under Article I, Section 8 of the United States Constitution.

By Ms. SPEIER:

H.R. 4055.

¹Please note, pursuant to Article I, section 8, Congress has the power "to make all Laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into Execution the foregoing Powers, and all other Powers vested by this Constitution in the Government of the United States, or in any Department or Officer thereof."

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

This bill is enacted pursuant to the power granted to Congress under Article 1, Section 8 of the United States Constitution.

By Mr. BILBRAY:

H.R. 4056.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article VI, Clause 2: This Constitution, and the Laws of the United States which shall be made in Pursuance thereof; and all Treaties made, or which shall be made, under the Authority of the United States, shall be the supreme Law of the Land; and the Judges in every State shall be bound thereby, any Thing in the Constitution or Laws of any State to the Contrary notwithstanding.

By Mr. BILIRAKIS:

H.R. 4057.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, section 8 of the United States Constitution (clauses 12, 13, 14, and 16), which grants Congress the power to raise and support an Army; to provide and maintain a Navy; to make rules for the government and regulation of the land and naval forces; and to provide for organizing, arming, and disciplining the militia.

By Mr. BLUMENAUER:

H.R. 4058.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

The Constitution of the United States provides clear authority for Congress to pass legislation to provide equity in the bankruptcy process. Article I, Section 8, Clause 4 of the Constitution provides that Congress has the power to "establish an uniform Rule of Naturalization, and uniform Laws on the subject of Bankruptcies throughout the United States".

By Mrs. BONO MACK:

H.R. 4059.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

The authority for enactment of this Bill flows from Article I, Section 8, clause 3 of the U.S. Constitution. Congress may prescribe by statute the procedures which are reasonably necessary to effectuate its constitutional purpose of regulating commerce among the several states.

By Mr. FLEISCHMANN:

H.R. 4060.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, Section 8, clause 1 & 18.

By Mr. HUNTER:

H.R. 4061.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, section 8, clauses 1 and 18.

By Mr. HUNTER:

H.R. 4062.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

Article I, section 8, clause 7

By Mr. MCDERMOTT:

H.R. 4063.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

"The Congress will have the Power to dispose of and make all needful Rules and Regulations respecting the Territory or other Property belonging to the United States" (article IV, section 3).

By Mr. MULVANEY:

H.R. 4064.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following:

"clause 1 of Section 8 of Article I of the U.S. Constitution."

By Mr. PIERLUISI:

H.R. 4065.

Congress has the power to enact this legislation pursuant to the following: